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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: William B. Dress, Jr. et al.

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CHANNEL CAPACITY

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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS DATED NOVEMBER 13, 2000

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of three months to and including April 13, 2001 in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated November 13, 2000.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$2382.00 is enclosed, which includes the process fee (\$890.00) for a three month extension of time.

If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an overpayment be included herein, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No.: 50-1212/10026406/JJB.

Respectfully submitted,

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